CIVIL AUTHORITIES (SPECIAL POWERS)

Now, THEREFORE, I, The Right Honourable Sir Richard Dawson Bates, Bart., D.L., M.P., Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, do make the following Regulation for making further provision for the preservation of the Peace and Maintenance of Order, and the said Regulation shall be enforced and have effect in like manner as Regulations contained in the said Schedule, and the said Regulation now made, and the Regulations contained in the said Schedule shall have effect and be construed as if the said Regulation now made formed part of said Regulations in said Schedule, that is to say:—

1A.—(2) On and after the 1st July, 1940, a person who shall have entered Northern Ireland from any place other than another part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland shall, if so required by any Constable, satisfy the Police Authorities that his presence in Northern Ireland is essential for the purpose of transacting legitimate business of importance to the national interests of the United Kingdom.

Failure to comply with this Requirement shall be an offence under the Regulations.

Given under my Hand at Belfast this 22nd day of June, 1940.

R. Dawson Bates,

Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland. Civil Authority.

1940. No. 61.

WHEREAS certain Regulations for Peace and Order in Northern Ireland are contained in the Schedule to the Civil Authorities (Special Powers) Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, and it is provided by subsection (3) of Section 1 of the said Act that the Minister of Home Affairs shall have power to make Regulations (a) for making further provision for the preservation of the Peace and Maintenance of Order, and (b) for varying or revoking any provision of the Regulations, whether contained in the said Schedule, or made as aforesaid, and that any Regulations made as aforesaid shall, subject to the provisions of the said Act, have effect and be enforced in like manner as Regulations contained in the said Schedule :

AND WHEREAS the powers of the Civil Authority have been delegated by the Minister of Home Affairs under Section 1 of the Civil Authorities (Special Powers) Act (Northern Ireland), 1933, by Order dated 10th June, 1940, to the Parliamentary Secretary of the Ministry of Home Affairs :

Persons Entering Northern Ireland

Now, THEREFORE, I, William Lowry, K.C., M.P., Parliamentary Secretary of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, do make the following Regulation for making further provision for the preservation of the Peace and Maintenance of Order, and the said Regulation shall be enforced and have effect in like manner as Regulations contained in the said Schedule, and the said Regulation now made, and the Regulations contained in the said Schedule shall have effect and be construed as if the said Regulation now made formed part of the said Regulations in said Schedule, that is to say :—

- 1B. (1) On and after the 1st day of July, 1940, any person who shall have entered Northern Ireland (whether before the making of this Regulation or subsequently) from any place other than another part of the United Kingdom shall, if so required by any Police Officer or Constable, satisfy the Police Authorities that his presence in Northern Ireland is not for any purpose detrimental to the preservation of the peace and the maintenance of order in Northern Ireland.
 - (2) If any person fails to comply with such requirements he shall be guilty of an offence against these Regulations unless he proves to the satisfaction of the Court before which he may be charged :---
 - (a) that his presence in Northern Ireland is not in fact for any purpose detrimental to the preservation of the peace and the maintenance of order in Northern Ireland; and
 - (b) that when required to satisfy the Police Authorities that his presence in Northern Ireland was not for any purpose detrimental to the preservation of the peace and the maintenance of order in Northern Ireland, he did everything in his power to comply with such requirement.
 - (3) Upon any prosecution for a breach of this Regulation, a certificate, purporting to be signed by a District Inspector of Police, or a Police Officer of higher rank, and certifying that the person charged was duly required to satisfy the Police Authorities pursuant to this Regulation that his presence in Northern Ireland was not for any purpose detrimental to the preservation of the peace and the maintenance of order in Northern Ireland and that he failed to comply with such requirement, shall be sufficient prima facie evidence of the facts so certified.
 - (4) The Regulation 1A (2) dated the 22nd June, 1940, is hereby revoked.

CIVIL DEFENCE

Given under my Hand at Belfast this 29th day of June, 1940.

(Signed)

William Lowry,

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Parliamentary Secretary of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland. Civil Authority.

CIVIL DEFENCE.

Air-Raid Precautions: Air-Raid Shelters: Revised Code, p. 34. Compulsory Areas, p. 36. Schemes, p. 38.

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Air-Raid Shelters: Revised Code.

ORDER, DATED THE 12TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1940, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF PUBLIC SECURITY UNDER SECTION 11 OF THE CIVIL DEFENCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1939.

1940. No. 93.

WHEREAS by the Civil Defence (Approval and Revision of Code) Order (Northern Ireland), 1939, made by the Ministry of Home Affairs, a Code for the guidance of occupiers and owners of factory premises, factories and commercial buildings and other persons concerned in providing air-raid shelter was approved and revised so as to bring the said Code into conformity with the revised Code set out in the Schedule to the said Order;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the said revised Code should be further revised;

AND WHEREAS the Governor of Northern Ireland has, in pursuance of powers vested in him by sub-section (3) of section 1 of the Ministries Act (Northern Ireland), 1940, made an Order transferring to the Ministry of Public Security the powers and duties of the Ministry of Home Affairs under the Civil Defence Acts (Northern Ireland), 1938 and 1939;

Now, THEREFORE, the Ministry of Public Security, in pursuance of all the powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby orders cas follows:—

1.—Paragraph 2 of the said revised Code shall be revised as follows :—

(a) in sub-paragraph (a) (ii) after the words "thickness of " there shall be inserted the words "structural concrete or."